ALEXA.GAZETTE & VIRGINIA ADVERTISER PUBLISHED DAILY BY EDGAR SNOWDEN.

GAZETTE BUILDING, NO. 70 PRINCE STREET.
 Six months
 4 00

 Three months
 2 00

ALEXA.GAZETTE & VIRGINIA ADVERTISER (FOR THE COUNTRY)

Published Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, At five dollars per annum. Transient advertisements inserted at \$1.00 per square, (eight lines or less) for first insertion,

and twenty-five cents for each subsequent in-

THE ANCIENT CROWN OF SCOTLAND. The ancient crown of Scotland, now in the castle of Edinburgh, has had adventures not unlike some of those of the Hungarian diadem. It is supposed to have been made for King Robert Bruce, and is formed of two circles of gold, the upper one being surmounted by a row of crosses and fleurs de-lis, while the lower and broader ring is adorned with precious stones in their rough, unpolished state.

From this rise two arches of gold, which unite in a ball and cross. Even when the Stuarts became kings of England, they came to Scotland, after their English coronation, to receive this crown at Scone. Charles I indeed wished to have the crown and regalia of Scotland sent up to London, in order that the ceremony might take place there, but this was re-garded as an infringement of the rights of the kingdom, and he had to come to Scotland, where he was crowned, June 18, 1633.

When, after his father's death, Charles II asserted his rights in Scotland, he was crowned at Scone on January 1, 1651. On Cromwell's advancing across the Border, the crown and regalia were sent away from Edinburgh to the strong castle of Dunnottar, on the shores of the North Sea, lest they should fall into his hands. They were placed under the protection of a picked garrison, commanded by the Earl Marischal and Ogilvy of Barras, a veteran sol-

Several guns were sent to reinforce the cas-tle, among others Mons Meg, and the great embrasure through which this monster was fired is still shown at Dunnottar. On the 3rd of January, 1652, the Cromwellian general, Lambert, having closely invested the castle, summoned it to surrender. The summons was rejected, and the siege began. Ogilvy had previously asked that a ship might be sent to carry off the crown, sceptre and sword of state; but Charles had not been able to comply with his

It soon became evident that the castle could not hold out long, and it was therefore necessary to devise some plan for saving the regalia. The chief agent in the plot was the wife of the Rev. Jas. Granger, of Kinneff, a small church four miles from Donnottar. She obtained from Gen. Lambert permission to pass through his lines, in order to visit the lady of the castle, and on her return secretly brought away the Scottish crown. Her maid followed her, bearing two long bundles of lint, as if for spinning, but in one of them the sword of State was hidden, and in the other the scepter.

Ou reaching Kinneff, she gave them to her husband, and that night they went into the church, raised a flag of the pavement in front of the pulpit, dug a hole, and buried there the crown the scepter. In another part of the church they hid the sword in the same way. When, on the fall of the castle, the regalia were found to be gone, great was Lambert's indignation. Tradition says that he suspected the Grangers, and tortured them in vain in order to extort their secret. But suspicion was at length lulled to rest by the report that the crown had been sent abroad.

Occasionally the minister and his wife went by night into the church to change the cloths in which the crown was wrapped, in order to preserve it from the damp; and at the Restoration they gave up the regalia in safety to Charles II. A grant of two thousand marks rewarded Mrs. Granger for her faithful service. After the Union, when, on account of the strength of the Jacobite party, the English Government very unwisely exhibited, on many occasions, the mistrust with which they regarded the sentiment of Scottish nationality, the crown and regalia, as its most striking emblems, were shut up in a strong coffer in the crown-room of Edinburgh Castle. This took place in 1707, and there they remained for more than a century, until they were again restored to light by the commission appointed for that purpose in 1818.

CANNIBALISM AND SLAVERY. - A correspondent of the Manchester Guardian writes from

Cape Coast with the date of June 30: "In my last I mentioned that there had been some shocking human sacrifices at Porto Nova. and that the Government was going to remonstrate with the King. This has been done, and the King has promised they shall not again be heard of there. The Chief Magistrate of the Gold Coast, Mr. Marshall, who is now acting in that office at Lagos, was intrusted with the mission to the King, and proceeded by steamer to Porto Nova, on the lagoon which lies along the shore to the westward, on Saturday, the 19th. Next morning he had an interview with the King, and delivered a letter from the Governor on the subject, together with an emphatic message that human sacrifices must cease. The present King has only lately been put on the throne, and it is thought that he is a man who will keep his promise and do all that he cau to maiotain friendly relations with the British Government. The last mail from the Leeward brought intelligence that a steamer trading on the Niger named the Sultan of Sokatoo, although fully armed, had been seized at a village some way up the river, the Captain and white men put in chains, and the natives on board sold into slavery. The account was that the Captain went on shore suspecting no hostile intentions and got caught. By this mail the whole affair is contradicted. We are curious to see what the next version will be. The rains are on, which produces much sickness.'

ADVERTISING BY THE ANCIENTS. -The Romans largely advertised private as well as public matters, and by writing as well as by word of mouth. They had their proceones, or criers, who not only had their public duties but announced the time, place and conditions of sales, and cried things lost. Hawkers cried their own goods. Thus, Cicero speaks of one who cried figs; cauneas clamitabat (he cried out figs.) But the Romans also advertised, in a stricter sense of the term, by writing. The bills were called libelli, and were used for advertising sales of real estate, for absconding debtors and for things lost or found. The advertisements were often written on tablets which were affixed to pillars. On the walls of Pompeii have been discovered various advertisements. There will be a dedication or formal opening of certain baths. The company attending are promised slaughter of wild beasts, athletic games, perfumed sprinkling, and awnings to keep off the sun. One other mode of public announcement employed by the Romans should be mentioped, and that was by signs painted or suspended on je 11 WM. F. BROOKES, 147 King st.

Thus, a suspended shield served as TYTHITE DRESS SHIRTS, very cheap just

The we have carried over, at greatly reduced prices—some of them haif price.

The we have carried over, at greatly reduced prices—some of them haif price.

Thus, a suspended shield served as TYTHITE DRESS SHIRTS, very cheap just the wall. Thus, a suspended shield served as the sign of a tavern; and nuisances were prohibited by a painting of two corrects. hibited by a painting of two serpents.

DRY GOODS.

DARASOLS AND SUN UMBRELLAS. June 28th, 1875. Another invoice of those choice goods just received from the manufacturer.
D. F. BRASHEAR, 109 King street, Alexandria, Va.

SUN UMBRELLAS PRETZFELDER & BENDHEIM'S. Latest styles, heavy twilled Silk, in shades of Blue, Brown and Black, with Pearl and Ivory

N EW GOODS—We are in daily receipt of new goods, keeping our stock well assort-ed. We invite purchasers, either at wholesale

or retail, to inspect our goods before purchasing jy 10 D. F. WITMER CO.

REDUCED PRICES ON DRESS GOODS. We have just returned from New York with a full line of the latest styles of DRESS GOODS AT REDUCED PRICES. We cannot give any idea by names of the goods, but would cordially invite an examina-

tion of them.
GRENADINES, in Plaids and Stripes, Plain
Black and in Colors. Also GENAPINES in the same. PLAID LINEN SUITINGS, something new. Our stock is large and our prices are low. my 13 D. F. WITMER CO.

DRY GOODS VERY CHEAP TO SUIT THE TIMES.

We sell Barker's 4.4 Bleached Cottons at 12½c.
We sell Androscoggin 4.4 do. at 12½c.
We sell Wamsutta 4.4 do. at 16½c.

We sell beautiful Calicoes at 8 and 10c. We sell Lancaster Percales at 121c. We sell yard-wide do. at 163c. We sell Wash Poplins at 10c. We sell Linen Grenadines at 124c.

We sell All-Linen L. C. Handkerchiefs at 121c. We sell All-Linen Bordered do. at 8 and 10c. We sell white Counterpanes at 871c. We sell beautiful Printed Skirts at 75c.

We sell pure Linen Shirt Fronts at 25c.

We sell beautiful Zephyr Shawls at \$1.50 to \$6.

We sell beautiful Zephyr Shawls at \$1.50 to \$6.

We sell all styles of goods at popular prices, and dety competition.

D. F. BRASHEAR, 109 King street, Alexandria. 50 PIECES RIBBON, in Blue, Pink and Cherry, at 121c, worth 30c, at FERGUSON & BRO'S., 96 King street.

YARD-WIDE PERCALES, TWELVE-AND-A-HALF CENTS. J.M. STEWART

Has just opened a large line of SUPERIOR QUALITY PERCALES, at the very low price named above. my 7

MATTINGS,
OIL CLOTHS and
TAPESTRY BRUSSELS
CARPETINGS.

I have just received 4-4 White Mattings, some of superior quality. Also Checked Table and Floor Oil Cloths, dotted for steps. Brussells Stair Carpet and Hall do. to match.
my 7

J. M. STEWART.

SPRING GOODS! SPRING GOODS! Pretzfelder & Bendheim

Have just opened a beautiful line of SPRING GOODS of choice designs, which they are sell-New styles of Gray and Brown Plaids, Drab and Gray Balenos, Alpacas, Lustresin all shades.

Black Alpacas a specialty.
Pillow Case Linens and Sheetings, Table
Cloths, Wine Cloths, Damask, Towels, Napkins, &c., at reduced prices. Great inducements offered in Men's and Boys Large lot of Colored Grenadines, left from

last season, at 10 and 121c per yard. Beautiful line of Worsted Fringer, in every Another very pretty lot of Hamburg Edgings and Insertings, very low. A complete new line of Hosiery, Notions, &c.

CARPENTERS' TOOLS, Masons' Trowels, Stone Hammers, Plasterers' Trowels and other goods in the same line. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

88 King street. BOB WHITE, Westward Ho, Gravely and Durham Smoking Tobaccos, just received and for sale by GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

166 and 170 King street. FAMILY ROE POTOMAC HERRINGS, Mess Shad, No. 1 Mackerel and Scotch Herrings for sale by J. C. & E. MILBURN,

19 north Royal street. GRENADINES, LAWNS, &c. SOME OF THEM 25 TO 33 PER CT. LESS

THAN COST. D. F. WITMER CO. PARIS GREEN, the popular article for the destruction of the potato bug. We have just received a large supply direct from the factory. For sale by E. S LEADBEATER & BRO.

HUBBELL'S SEA SALT, for producing a real sea water bath in your own room Also Perfume Atomizer, a valuable little instrument for perfuming clothing, &c. For sale by je 29 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

CURRANT JELLY—An imported article, and very fine, for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY, Corner King and St. Asaph sts.

S MOKED POTOMAC HERRING and SMOKED SALMON for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY, Corner King and St. Asaph sts. SUGARS-23 bbls Hard and Soft Crushed and Brown Sugars just received and for sale at lowest current rates by

J. C. & E. MILBURN. CHOW CHOW and MIXED PICKLES in store and for sale by WM. F. BROOKES,

147 King street. BEST REFINED LARD for sale by J. C. & E. MILBURN. _jy 16 19 north Royal st. A GOOD BLACK 1 BB., Flavor, for sale at 50c per ib by J. C. & E. MILBURN. GOOD BLACK TEA, with Green Tea

ENGLISH and SCOTCH ALE and Brown Stout for sale by GEO. McBURNEY & SON. je 14 OLD MADEIRA and PALE SHERRY WINES, very fine, just received.

R. B. LAWSON & CO. je 14 NEW MACKEREL and MESS SHAD just received by G. WM. RAMSAY, Corner King and St. Asaph sts. aug 3 SMALL HAMS, Sugar-cured Shoulders and Breakfast Pieces just received by

jy 17 J. C. & E. MILBURN. TYALENTINE'S PREPARATION OF MEAT JUICE just received and for sale by my 20 WARFIELD & HALL. my 20 RRUIT EXTRACTS and SYRUPS for sale F by jy 28 McBURNEY & SON.

WHITE MARTABAN and CORDUROY CLOAKING at D. F. WITMER CO'S. my 22 WORKSHIRE RELISH, the best and cheap-

166 and 170 King street.

my 29

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

A card.—Circumstances rendering a sirable that I should locate in Baltimore, I CARD.-Circumstances rendering it dehave transferred my DENTAL PRACTICE in Alexandria to DR. D. N RUST. He has been for so many years associated with me as to need no introduction or endorsement, his skill, ability and reputation for honesty and high integrity being well known. I cordially commend him to the favor of my friends and patients, as well worthy of the position to which he succeeds, and bespeak for him the practice with which, for so long, I have been favored.

JAMES B. HODGKIN.

Alexandria, Va., mar 10-tf

COL. RICHARD L. MAURY, ATTORNEY and COUNSELLOR AT LAW,

1015 Main street, RICHMOND, VA.

RICHMOND, VA.

**Special facilities for prompt collections throughout Virginia and West Virginia. Money invariably remitted on day of receipt.

Refers to: Gov. Jno. Letcher, (recent partner)
Lexington, Va.; Gov. Jas. L. Kemper, Richmand, Va.; Hon. R. M. T. Hunter; R. H. Maury & Co., Bankers; Messrs. Barring Bros. & Co., London, England; J. K. Gilliat & Co, London, England.

Richmond, feb 19-1v Richmond, feb 19-1y

BUILDING MATERIAL.

JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Hardware, Cutlery, Horse Shoes

Iron, Plough Castings, Nail Rods, Axle Grease, Wagon Materials, House-keepers' Goods, &c., &c. NO. 88 KING STREET, CORNER ROYAL

mh 8 Alexandria, Virginia. B. F. PEAKE. B. F. PEAKE & CO.,

(Successors to Jas. W, Nalls, Son & Co.)

DEALERS IN

DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, PAINTS, HARDWARE, LEADS, OILS, CEMENT,
CALCINED PLASTER, &c.,

No. 187 King street, Alexandria, Virginia. SUMMER RESORTS.

COUNTRY BOARD.

First class country board, with large and airy rooms, bath house, plenty of ice, near churches, store and postoffice and in daily communication with Washington. Address A. B., White Post, Clarke county, Va. je 19-tf

TARIETIES.

WORCESTER SAUCE.
WALNUT and TOMATO CATSUP.
DESSICATED COCOANUT.
COXE'S GELATINE.

SARDINES.
TWIN BROTHERS' YEAST CAKES.
BABBITT'S, RUMFORD'S and PATAPSCO YEAST POWDERS. PINEAPPLE CHEESE and

MACCARONI. Just received by my 10 DAVY & HARMON. NYEW DRY GOODS

Opening this 16th day of June, 1875. "POPULAR PRICES."

A choice line of Fancy Cassimeres and Mar-seilles, Vestings, Linen Drillings, Victoria Lawns, Linen Suitings, &c. Also another large assortment of beautiful Calicoes, and a full stock of Sheetings, Towelings, &c. H. B. Hoomes. D. F. BRASHEAR, H. B. HOOMES.

No 109 King st., Alexandria, Va. PANCY GOODS, NOTIONS, HOSIERY. &c.—We are receiving and keep constant-ly on hand a full line of Handkerchiefs, Hose and Half Hose, Ladies' and Men's Vests, Shirt Fronts, Cravats, Collars and Cuffs, Suspenders, Belts, Buttons of every description, Hat Crape, English Crape Veils, Shawls in great variety, Printed and Plain Skirts, together, with other very cheap goods. D. F. BRASHEAR, my 29 No. 109 King st., Alexandria, Va.

TREAM SODA,

COLD, SPARKLING AND WELL FLAVORED.

Pronounced by critics superior to any drink ever offered to the public.

At WARFIELD & HALL'S, Prince and Fairfax streets. OLD IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC LIQUORS—We make a specialty of these goods in seeing that they are pure and genuine. We can, therefore, recommend them to those who want a pure medicinal liquor. One trial will convince you.

GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street.

ORANGE BLOSSOM COLOGNE WATER We have just prepared and bottled for sale large supply of the above popular Perfume. In bottles of three sizes, at 25c, 50c and \$1, respec-[jg 22] JANNEY & CO.

PARASOLS AND SUN UMBRELLAS-Just received from William A. Drown & Co., of New York, another invoice of these beautiful goods. D. F. BRASHEAR, 109 King street. my 22

BUILDERS' HARDWARE, of every quality and description. A large stock on hand at low prices. J. T. CRRIGHTON & SON,

88 King street. DAVIS' EXTRA SUGAR-CURED SMOKED BEEF just received by G. WM. RAMSAY. Corner King and St. Asaph streets.

TWIN BROS'. YEAST CAKES are the best If you want good bread use no other. For sale by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON. 166 and 170 King street. FINE HONEY IN THE COMB for sale by

G. WM. RAMSAY, jy 23 Corner King and St. Asapl. sts. COLD WATER SOAP for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY, Corner King and St. Asaph streets.

MESS SHAD in store and for sale cheap at 147 King street. WM. F. BROOKES. je 12 THE PRETTIEST TEN CENT SUGAR is A sold at

RAMSAY'S CORNER. aug 3 GREEN GINGER just received by G. WM. RAMSAY aug 3 Corner King and St. Asaph streets. SARDINES, half and quarter boxes, for sale by GEO. McBURNEY & SON, je 14 166 and 170 King street

166 and 170 King street. SMOKERS SAY THE PRAIRIE HEN CI-GARS are the best. Try them. For sale by je 24 GEO. McBURNEY & SON. CELERY SALT, a delicious relish, in store and for sale by WM. F. BROOKES,

my 22

PRIME LEMONS and ORANGES for sale by [jy 15] J. C. & R. MILBURN. PRIME NOS. 1 and 3 MACKEREL just received by [jy 20] J. C. & E. MILBURN. PORTO RICO SUGAR just received by J. C. & E. MILBURN.

147 King street

PURE SPICES, whole and ground, for sale by McBURNEY & SON. LARGE LINE OF GRENADINES that LEGAL NOTICES.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 56 King st., Alexandria, Va. July 22nd, 1875.

In the Circuit Court of Alexandria city.

President, Directors and Company of the Farmers' Bank of Virginia, (use of Isaacs, Taylor & Williams) vs. The Alexandria Canal Company and others. In chancery.

[Extract from the decree May term, 1875.]

* * The said report of Chancery Commissioner Kompany and Company Commissioner Formers and Commissioner And Commissioner And Commissioner And Commissioner And Commissioner And Commissioner And Commi

missioner Kemper having been made and returned before the filing of the amended bill, and before the said Philip Quigley, Henry H. Wells and William W. Dungan were made parties hereto, it is decreed that the said report be recommitted to said Chancery Commissioner, with instructions to assertain and report to the with instructions to ascertain and report to the next term of this Court any further matters per-

tinent to the said inquiry which any party hereto may desire.

The said Commissioner shall publish for four weeks notice of the time and place of executing this decree, and the same shall be equivalent to personal service.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all parties interested in the above suit and proceedings that I have fixed upon TUESDAY, the 24th day of August, 1875, at my office, No. 56 King street, Alexandria, Virginia, as the time and place when and where I shall proceed to execute the above decree, at which time and place they are required to attend. Given under my hand this 23d day of July, 875. K. KEMPER, Comm'r. in Ch'y. F. L. SMITH, P. Q. jy 23-4w 1875. K. KEM F. L. SMITH, P. Q.

MACHINISTS.

S. MOORE,

MACHINIST AND BLACKSMITH,
No. 65 Union street,
Alexandria, Vs.
Where he is prepared to furnish all kinds of
MACHINERY, WROUGHT and CAST
IRON FENCES, &c.
Repairing done with dispatch, and at prices
that were charged previous to the war. jan 20 DHILIP PARK,

PRACTICAL PLUMBER, No. 12 South Fairfax street.

The oldest and best established Plumbing establishment in the city. All work done with dispatch, and in the most durable and workmanlike manner. Satisfaction guaranteed.

JOBBING done at short notice, and by himelf, or the most experienced workmen. ja 2-tf

NOTICE. ' From now until the first of September we will sell our

SPRING AND SUMMER STOCK BOOTS AND SHOES

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. We have selected from our stock some LA-DIES, MISSES' and CHILDREN'S BOOTS and SHOES, which will be sold at a great reduction on the cost of manufacture. All in want will do well to call on W. B. WADDEY, 74 King st.

SOUTHERN

Breakfast Wheat. ACKNOWLEDGED SUPERIOR TO MOST J. BRODERS & CO. PREPARATIONS OF WHEAT.

THE EQUAL OF THE BEST. PRE-EMINENTLY A CHILD'S FOOD. FOR SALE BY GROCERS.

feb 8-tf DRESS GOODS Just opened by express this morning a lot of

very elelegant PLAID AND STRIPED BLACK GRENADINES, for over dresses. Also PLAIN ZENEPINES, [my 13] J. M. STEWART.

MORE NEW DRESS GOODS—May 31st, 1875—We open to-day a line of the cheapest Iron Frame Grenadines ever offered in this market, ranging in price from 37½c, 45c, 50c, 62½c and upwards. Also beautiful high lustre Alpacas at 371c, 45c, 50c, &c., &c. All first class standard Calicoes at 10c.

D. F. ERASHEAR, No. 109 King street. A VERILL CHEMICAL PAINT-mixed ready for use-We have just made large additions to our stock of the above celebrated Paints. Sample card of colors, with rule for ascertaining the amount required for any building, can be obtained upon application. For sale at factory prices by

E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. Agents for Alexandria. TABLE AND POCKET CUTLERY,

RAZORS, SCISSORS, RAZOR STROPS, &c. The subscribers have just opened, at 88 King street, on the corner of Royal, a fine assortment of goods in the above line, to which they invite the attention of purchasers. Call and see. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. jy 30 DOTOMAC HERRING!

POTOMAC HERRING! 150 bbls Roe Herring, 100 bbls and 50 half bbls No. 1 Roe Herring, and 50 kits Spiced Shad Roe, in store and for sale at the lowest W. A. JOHNSON, market price by No. 44 cor. Pitt and Queen sts. WARRANTED ALL LINEN.

More of those CHEAP SHIRT FRONTS, At 163 cents. P. F. WITMER CO.

TEAS-Choice Gunpowder, Oolong, Japan and English Breakfast Teas for sale by J. C. & E. MILBURN, 19 north Royal street.

PAINTS, ready for immediate application. for sale by the pound or hundred weight and of a great variety of shades, by my 18 E.S. LEADBEATER & BRO. BLACK and FANCY BASKETS for summer use for sale by
G. WM. RAMSAY,

Corner King and St. Asaph streets. SMALL HAMS—3 tierces Maryland and Anchor brands just received by J. C. & E. MILBURN,

19 north Royal street BUTTER-20 tubs New York Goshen Butter for sale by THOMAS PERRY. 17 King street.

FINE TOILET SOAPS—A full assortment just received and for sale by GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street. TUAVA JELLY, Potted Ham and Albert Biscuits, fresh, for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY,

FANSI FANSI FANS! For sale cheap at 147 King street.

WM. F. BROOKES. je 19 No.: 3 MACKEREL just received and for THOHAS PERRY, je 11 17 King street.

Corner King and St. Asaph streets

HUBBELL'S PREPARED WHEAT for children's diet, just received and for sale by je 30 WARFIELD & HALL. 3.000 MORE FINE CIGARS receiv-

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

C. & E. MILBURN, Wholesale and Retail

GROCERS & COMMISSION MERCH'TS., No. 19 N. Royal st., cor. Market Space, Alexandria, Virginia.

Orders and consignments solicited. They will eceive careful and prompt attention. jy 2 receive careful and prompt attention. R. M. LAWSON,

Cash advances made on Grain in store. Con-

signments solicited. R. B. LAWSON & CO.,

[Successors to R. M. Lawson,]
GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS,
No. 67 Cameron street,
aug 3 ALEXANDRIA, VA.

THOMAS PERRY. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT THE SALE OF FERTILIZERS,
No. 17 King street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

GEO. WASHINGTON. R. J. WASHINGTON. & BROTHER,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS
NO. 20 UNION STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all
kinds, of Country Produce solicited. Special
attention given to all business entrusted to them. Prompt returns made.

W. A. SMOOT,

COAL, SALT AND PLASTER SMOOT'S WHARF, (Foot of Princess st.,) Alexandria, Virginia.

HOOE & JOHNSTON,

(Successors to Fowle & Co.,)
NO. 2 PRINCE STREET.
GENERAL
COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERC'TS. Dealers in all kinds of FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER NEW YORK & BALTIMORE STEAMERS Also of the LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE IN SURANCE COMPANY.

SHINN & CO

Agents for the sale of the "ROUND TOP HYDRAULIC CEMENT." jan 5—tf jan 5—tf No. 11 King street,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS Wholesale Dealers in ERIES, LIQUORS, PROVISIONS, SALT FISH and P GROCERIES,

and PRODUCE.

Also keep on hand a general assortment of Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils, Lamps and Ship and Naval Stores. All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to con

ignees on arrival. Agents for Dupont's Gunpowder. XXX Ale and Porter always on hand. Agents for the Baltimore and Potomac Trans portation line.

W. A. JOHNSON,

Dealer in GROCERIES AND LIQUORS. No. 44 corner Queen and Pitt streets.

ALEXANDRIA, VA. All orders addressed to William A, Johnson, Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention. mh 9-tf

WM. F. BROOKES,

DEALER IN FINE AND FANCY GROCERIES,

147 King street, Alexandria, Virginia. Special attention given to the selection TEAS, COFFEES and FAMILY FLOUR. jy 10-tf GEORGE MCBURNEY & SON.

Dealers in CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCE-RIES, WINES AND LIQUORS, ENGLISH and SCOTCH ALE and BROWN Also, EASTERN and POTOMAC HERRING growth. As a dressing for ordinary Toilet use and MACKEREL NOS. 166 AND 170 KING STREET.

(Washington Hall Building,) Alexandria, Va. Orders promptly filled. G. WM. HAMSAY,

WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER,

-AND-

TEA DEALER. S. E. COR. KING AND ST. ASAPH STS.

DOTATO BUG. PARIS GREEN, CARBOLIC ACID and CARBOLIC SOAP, for the destruction of the

Potato Bug-a full supply, with directions fer use, for saie by
je 30 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. je 30 ENGLISH AND AMERICAN GRAIN AND GRASS SCYTHES, Snathe, Scythe Stones Scythe Rifles, Hay and Grain Rakes, &c.

A large supply in store, for sale wholesale and J. T. CREIGHTON & SON, cor. Royal and King st. POTTED HAM, TONGUE and BEEF, pre-pared for excursionists, travellers and sportsmen, unequalled for sandwiches and

GEO. McBURNEY & SON. 166 and 170 King street. LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEEDS-Extra Early Peas, Early May Peas, Champion of England Peas, Blue Imperial Peas, Tom Thumb Peas and McLean's Little Gem Peas, received and for sale by

luncheons, for sale by

very great reduction.

JANNEY & CO. mh 9 $\mathbf{R}^{\mathtt{EDUCTION}}$ in Lace goods. Being desirous of closing out our stock of Lace Points and Sacks, we will sell them at a

OUR FOURTH SUPPLY THIS SEASON

CANDIDATES.

MY NAME HAVING been announced as a candidate for a seat in the next House of Delegates of Virginia, I avail myself of this method of soliciting the suffrages of the voters, subject to the decision of a convention.

aug 9-tf HUGH LATHAM.

aug 9-tf TO THE VOTERS OF FAIRFAX COUNTY—At the solicitation of many friends, I announce myself a candidate for re-election to the next House of Delegates of Virginia. Re-GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 69 Cameron street,
Alexandria, Virginia.
Deals in Standard Fertilizers and Grass Seeds.

Company of the party in determining who shall be company and the standard standard for the standard for the party in determining who shall be company and the standard for the standard for the party in determining who shall be the State and of the success of the Conservative party, I make this annunciation, subject to the action of the party in determining who shall be their candidate, believing that the harmony and success of the party can be best maintained by organization; and I trust that at the meeting to

be held at August Court some satisfactory mode may be adopted by which, in the selection of a candidate, that result may be attained. Conservatism, in the darkest days of our history, saved us from the fate of our Southern sister States, and it is at this time our strength and hope, and I sincerely trust that its harmony may be preserved. If I shall again be nomi-nated by you, in being selected as your candidate, I can only promise that, as in the past, my best abilities will be directed to the maintainance of the honor and integrity of our beloved com-monwealth, and to the adoption of such meas-

ures as will tend to the material prosperity of the county and State.
R. H. COCKERILLE.

Fairfax county, August 3. GEORGE W. ROCK, esq., is presented as a suitable candidate for a seat in the next House of Delegates of Virginia.

MANY VOTERS.

TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY AND COUNTY-Fellow Citizens: I respectfully offer myself as a candidate for a seat in the next House of Delegates of Virginia, and will be grateful for the compliment of your

votes for that position.
Your obedient servant,
aug 2-1w
J. B. JOHNSON, M.D. RESPECTFULLY announce myself a candidate for a seat in the next House of Delegates, subject to the Conservative Nominating

W. H. FOWLE.

FISH DEALERS.

RECEIVED THIS DAY. Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, new. Nos. 1, 2 and 3 mackerel, new.
100 bbls Split Labrador Herring.
100 bbls Extra New Gibbed do.
100 bbls "Round do.
500 boxes Smoked Herring.
100 kits No. 1 Mess Mackerel.

100 kits Nos. 2 and 3 do. New Salmon, Cod, Hake and Halibut in store and for sale by S. J. REED & CO., aug 4

(Successors to Samuel Hartley,)

EENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS

No. 13 Union street,

Alexandria, Va.

Alexandria, Va.

S. J. REED

Announces to his friends and customers that he has removed his stock of POTOMAC SHAD and HERRINGS to NOS. 22 UNION ST. and HERRINGS to NOS. 22 UNION ST. and HERRINGS to NOS. 22 UNION ST. and II SOUTH WHARVES, where, in connection with his former fish business, he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of EASTERN FISH.

Agents for the sale of the "ROUND TOP"

Has now on hand 600 bbls different grades of Fish, consisting of GROSS and NET SHAD, MESS SHAD in kits, FAMILY ROE HER-RING, barreled MACKEREL, MESS MACK-EREL in kits, and SPLIT and ROUND HER-RINGS, to which he invites the attention of the

public The business will in future be conducted by S. J. REED and J. A. CUNNINGHAM. jy 12—tf

FISH 300 bbls NEW "SPLIT" LABRADOR HERRINGS 100 bbls NEW "ROUND" LABRADOR HERRINGS

to bbls NEW SPLIT EASTPORT HER-

50 bbls MAGDALIN HERRINGS. For sale by SHINN & CO., 13 Union st.

RINGS.

HARDWARE, CUTLERY GARDEN TOOLS, &c., At 88 King, on the corner of Royal st., Alexandria, Virginia. The subscribers are receiving a full supply of goods in their line for the Spring trade, to which

they invite the attention of wholesale and retail purchasers. Thankful for past favors, we solicit a continuance of your patronage. Orders will receive prompt attention. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

88 King street, corner Royal.

MALICOES, DOMESTICS, &c., &c. CHOICE BRANDS AT POPULAR PRICES July 30, 1875. We receive and open to-day some 300 pieces choice style Calicoes, together with the best assortment of Bleached and Bro. Cottons we have ever offered. Baltimore prices to country mer-

H. B. HOOMES.

No. 109 King street, S. D. HARPER. [jy 30] Alexandria, Va. QUININE AND GLYCERINE HAIR TONIC.

This Hair Wash contains the tonic and invigorating properties of Quinine, with the softening and moistening properties of Glycerine. It is intended to prevent the hair from falling out, and to promote its healthy and rap d

D. F. BRASHEAR,

it will be found an elegant preparation. For sale by [je 19] WARFIELD & HALL. MORE NEW DRY GOODS. July 5th, 1875. We open to-day a full line of Fancy and Staple Goods, purchased at greatly reduced prices, and will be sold at popular rates. Country mer-chants are specially invited to send their orders

or come in person and examine stock. D. F. BRASHEAR, H. B. HOOMES, jy 5 109 King street, Alexandria SOMETHING NEW!

COTTON FRINGES! All shades, suitable for any style of Dress Goods. These Fringes are being sold in large quantities in Baltimore and New York, being the newest and most desirable trimming now used. Only 20 cents. FERGUSON & BRO., 20 cents. je 28 96 King street.

We are now unloading from schr J W Hines, a cargo of SUPERIOR WHITE ASH COAL, which we are enabled to furnish at a greatly reduced price. Orders left at Grigg's Drug Store, corner Royal and King streets, will be promptly filled. J. T. MEHAFFEY & CO., ly filled. J. T. MEHAFFEY & CO., ap 7 Wharf and Yards toot of Queen st.

MARBOLIC CAMPHOR FOR MOTHS. The above article is cheaper and more reliable than common Camphor for the preservation of Furs, Carpets and Woolen Goods of all descriptions. In packages at 25 and 50 cents each. The

General Agent for Alexandria. CANTON MATTINGS, OIL CLOTHS, &c. I am just in receipt of another lot of those su-

match, small Brussels, Rugs &c. ie 23 J. M. STEWART. DRESS GOODS AT REDUCED PRICES.
Monday, June 14, 1875. Monday, June 14, 1875.
We are offering all our Spring and Summe

We have carried over, at greatly reduced prices—some of them haif price.

BHIRTS, very cheap, just D. F. WITMER CO.

J. C. & E. MILBURN.

D. F. BRASHEAR, je 19

We are obeling an our Spring and Samuel of Spring and S

COALI

trade supplied at manufacturers' prices by W. F. CKEIGHTON,

perior Canton Mattings, the best article in the market this season. Also several sheets of market this season. Also several sheets of White Ground Tiled Oil Coth for halls, hand-some Step Brussels Carpeting, with the hall to

D. F. WITMER CO.